Section 63A to 63I of the Code of Public Local Laws of Allegany County (1955 Edition) subtitle "Classified Service" and the persons holding these positions as of January 1, 1961, providing they shall have held these positions for not less than six months prior to January 1, 1961, AND WHETHER SUCH PERSONS WERE PREVIOUSLY DESIGNATED AS CONSTABLES, CLERKS OR OTHERWISE FOR THE PURPOSES OF THIS SECTION shall automatically be employees of the Classified System and entitled to all the rights and privileges thereof.

SEC. 2. And be it further enacted, That this Act shall take effect June 1, 1961.

Approved May 3, 1961.

CHAPTER 677

(House Bill 974)

AN ACT to add new Section 164 to Article 19 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland (1930 Edition), title "St. Mary's County", to immediately precede Section 165 thereof and to be under the new sub-title "Peddlers", Section 164 having been repealed by Chapter 929 of the Acts of 1945, to license and regulate the business of itinerant, door-to-door peddling of goods, wares or merchandise in St. Mary's County and to provide penalties for violations.

SECTION 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That new Section 164 be and it is hereby added to Article 19 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland (1930 Edition), title "St. Mary's County", to immediately precede Section 165 thereof and to be under the new sub-title "Peddlers", Section 164 having been repealed by Chapter 929 of the Acts of 1945, and to read as follows:

Peddlers

164.

- (a) It is unlawful for any person to conduct the business of or act as an itinerant or door-to-door peddler or salesman of goods, wares or merchandise, either by sample or otherwise, in St. Mary's County unless he has secured and holds a current license as such, issued upon application by the sheriff of the county.
- (b) The sheriff shall prepare and have available application forms for a peddler's license, containing such provisions and information as in the opinion of the sheriff may be necessary to keep a proper and complete listing of the persons in St. Mary's County who are engaged in this occupation from time to time. The license shall be issued upon application at a cost of two dollars (\$2.00) for each year; and the cost shall not be prorated for portions of a year. The license year begins as of January 1.
- (c) Nothing in this section shall be construed or used to apply to any person who is going from door-to-door in any activity or enter-